DRAMATIC DAMNATION.

no little importance may be inferred from the ognized. fact that we often, in another column, devote a liberal space to their consideration. But there pow. This is the season of indoor recreation. Dramatic speculations involve an enormous outtheater, unsubsidized and dependent solely upon its proper receipts, actually makes money for Mr. Lowe: ment. Thus there is hardly any stupidity which Covent Garden, Drury Lane and the Hay. engine and the multiplication table. market, and pass judgment apon what is theoretically submitted to their judgment, and no ita might pass uncommented on: bosoms, to exhibit those passions and foibles We have here isms barely tolerable; it goes for one hundred nights to see "Solon Shingle;" it is inexpres-mbly relieved by one touch of nature; it liked "Uncle Tom:" it still likes the Black artists of fronting them, only then feels at liberty to hiss. Cannot we, who have done so well in every other department of literature, now do something genuine and original in the department of

and much gained by making it the respectable pay a small fine out of his nefarious gains, and The man, if we do not misnomer him, who A more serious consideration, however, is the It is for us to fire guns—the music should be the

the drama?

That we believe public amusements to be of culsivated age and every polite nation have rec- spector of Milk advertises him in all the news- finger, may have had, God knows what, super- of spurious liquors, wines, cordials, bitters, &c. revel begin! Do you hear? We are victors-

ment—we mean that class of thinkers who, in thereafter be open to the culprit—he may try wretches in Mississippi who slaughter and burn About twenty per cent. is the proportion of of money, and lost the precious lives of many lay, and the returns are proportionate. New-York short, are opposed to popular thought—is well his hand at vending bean-coffee, or sanded suis, perhaps, the only city in the world in which the illustrated in Mr. Robert Lowe's idea of governing which the gar, or larded butter, or wooden nutmegs or promoting White supremacy. In New-Zealand, alone nearly two millions of gallons of this tion." So we were in 1861; and, although there ment. First, as to the English franchise, says logwood wine, but his struggles in the milk- not long ago, a native and his wife pulled the horrid mixture palmed off for consumption! are many things suggesting 1861, we must be

the managers. It has not only a large resident population addicted to play-going, including the foreign element, which must have musical the foreign element, which must have musical the foreign element.

visitors, extremely willing to be entertained and That is not the British doctrine, however, which betake himself to another, but a good, thorough and to strangle-still to hunt, to shoot and to them:

There, in brief, is the whole Tory doctrine,

calne whatever to an American congregation, be avoided that the government which he deare continually produced, and as complacently scribes is, however ingeniously contrived, still sistent with Christian charity. received as if they gave real and hearty satis- a very badly contrived and absurd negation of The most hopeless community is not by any to no quarter of the globe—as rife and as ram- of the old enthusiasm. Time has deadened these faction. The pit has been schooled to a the people. We do not object to his definition means the most ignorant—it is that which sins pant in Richmond as in Africa—the delusion of once living and earnest columns, and we are discreditable indifference. It has no likes and as applied to the Government of Mr. Louis Nano dislikes; it takes what it can get without poleon, or Her Majesty's in Ireland, as one to perpetuate the evils of barbarism, raises dead-weight of wickedness, if only it be deadly with the lusty shouting crowd of freedom-wargrumbling; if it cannot have sense on the stage, highly congenial to all the Pumblechooks, cheating and commercial fabrication to the enough and sufficiently weighty. Power is riors. As the war progressed, we felt that the it is content with scenery; and it does not higgle Gradgrinds, Barnacles and Podsnaps in a na- hight of a fine art, encounters fatal and well- pleasant to the powerful—revenge is sweet— past had really gone, and that those who had their goods more or less free of duty. It will about the conversation, if the costume of the tion which suffers itself to be ingloriously ruled defined dangers with both eyes wide open, the heart of man is desperately wicked—wrong peopled it—the Dough-Faced Politician, the astonish the public to know that our present comedy be sufficiently variegated. The result by its Philistines and Fogies; but that is no understands what is deathly and yet calmly and resorts naturally to physical force: always has Hunker, the Chivalric Southerner, the Tariff has 2,439 ad valorem duties, and only 478 of this is that, when we inquire for the American definition of true government. "Expediency" stolidly invites the approach of death, will not since Cain accomplished the primal homicide. Constitutional Unionist, the Northern Man that are specific; while the British, who are drama, we find that there is no such thing. has become a word odious from its mal-applica- drain, will not let God's blessed The tragedy of it is, that killing goes on under with Southern Principles—had all passed coaxing, arguing, bribing, and clamoring The plays by American authors, during the tion; but the highest expediency is justice. air be wholesome, tolerates the spoiling of God's the shadow of Christian churches—that civilized away, and were as extinct as the masto-to us to give them Free Trade, have last twenty years, we can almost count upon our Government, in its best meaning, is justice also; blessed gifts, puts up with stenches and poisons, nations sanction public deeds which, if they were don or the dodo. As well, we said—with some only 131 ad valorem duties in their tariff, fingers; and even of these, it is grievous to say, but British government and French govern- foul gas and false food, imperfect sewerage and private, would make busy work for the hangman degree of sadness-make Behemoth come from the plots and personages are mostly outlandish. ment may be anything that English and French every other provocative of pestilence, out of and his halter—that, run as fast as we may, we his petrified home in the shale rocks as recreate revenue service how to diminish their number It is no wonder, then, that the pit is silent and rulers, governing badly, may choose to make sheer apathy or for the sake of lucre, changing can never outrun the selfishness which would the Fine Old Southern Gentleman. Dear old and to entirely get rid of them. They have for moodily acquiescent. It does not comprehend them, according to those specious theories money upon a whited sepulcher, and staking reap without sowing, and the spurious philoso-relic! We could certainly draw him with this a syllable of what is so fluently uttered. The evolved from malpractice. Franchise (says Mr. human life against dirty dollars. We have a phy which finds right in might. The blood- pen-with boots and spurs and bowie-knife, held their noses while Custom-House oaths text is stuffed with allusions which are all Lowe, in effect,) is not intended for the sake of plenty of sanitary science—too much, moral smeared Maori in his nakedness—the Governor and feet high over table and window-sill, rain- were being taken, and know that in whatsoever Greek to its ears; and the fine people who strut franchise; but, on the other hand, government responsibility considered, if we see not with our of Jamaica in his uniform—the Mississippi ing tobacco juice over surrounding creation, tariff is an ad ralorem duty through that up and down the boards in the costume of the is directly and ultimately intended for govern- eyes, and smell not with our noses. The mor- planter in his linen coat and Panama hat—the and consigning every living Abolitionist to a undervaluation and perjury will persistently Middle Ages are not at all like the fine people ment's sake, and nothing else. To cap this ab- alists are very hard upon a man who kills him- same savage soul is in all three! The labor most painful doom. Well, we fancied, it is a who promenade over our modern pavements. surdity, "we may," says Mr. Lowe, "violate self by drinking gin, but there is no censure for of ameliorating human affairs is ceaseless-let law of nature. The sleek Tory who sneered will be immortal for patriotic service to its The weary listeners would hiss if they dared; any law of symmetry, &c., in providing the society killing itself by living in ill-ventilated us be thankful that History proves that it is at Washington no longer exists. The but they are conscious of possessing no stand- proper machinery to enable us to do what is re- houses, in the neighborhood of cesspools, within not altogether hopeless. ard of independent and self-reliant criticism, quired of us." Well: what is required of us? and keep silence lest, perchance, they may hiss and how is proper machinery to be made by than watered milk, decayed vegetables, rotten something really excellent. If they would but breaking first principles? Any farm-boy, who meat, chalky bread, rancid butter, and doctored

the constituency

which "the right honorable in New-York no end of dramatic material—the vulgar, the would-be-fashionable, the newly-rich, the hard, unscrupulous money the newly-rich, the hard, unscrupulous money is a member of the other House of maker, the sly and intriguing politician, the eccentric, the foolish, and the fanatic! We have yet Aristophanes had; but, alas! we have all that Aristophanes all that Aristophanes all that Aristophanes had; but, alas! we have yet altogether too perfect to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to be cheated to the end. Is the domain of taxable expedients has issued an parently content to in New-York no end of dramatic magentleman" represents consists of 174 members, parently content to be cheated to the end. have no Aristophanes. Those of us who have nience in the hands of the Marquis of Lansthe eye and the hand for cotemporary portraiture—and much of our literature in other politicians. We are content to take the politics departments shows that there is no lack of of the two countries in their net results, and such-are seared by the traditional stage from leave the issue to the comparison. It will be essaying anything like dramatic originality and found that while Slavery and oligarchy cost us freshness. Yet there is no limit to the relish much, and while we are put to some trouble to of the public for what is approximately genuine, homely and familiar. It tolerates Yankee only to ignorantly adopt just such Tory teachings as Mr. Lowe's, yet the difference in our

So much note we make of Mr. Lowe's opinions, because he happens to be one of the the bones and the tambourine; it takes very editors and controllers of The London Times, kindly to any local play with a bit of local scen- whose life-long philosophy of expediency and ery; and generally it is pitifully thankful for any- even style of diction appear reproduced in his thing which relieves it from English noblemen, late parliamentary speech. Singularly, too, French courtesans and Italian assassins. Plays although Mr. Lowe alludes to the want of really American fill the whole theater with a ostracism in American politics, he is an ardent new vitality. The emancipated audience, con-Johnson.

MILK AND WATER.

We trust that no apology is necessary for the sophistication may have been unknown in the pected at an early date. introduction of this subject at the present time. primitive, bucolic times. There is no end of Introduction of this subject at the present time.

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A LOW IDEA OF GOVERNMENT.

The distinguishing philosophy of the more inventive anti-Reformers in the British Parliament—we mean that class of thinkers who, in papers, nominatim-proclaims the number of his stitious notions in doing so, of enchanting the The report says: trade are over. An outraged community will heart out of their living child, under the imhim to fill with an unwholesome, thin, sky-blue A spell has fallen upon Slaveholding-the evil Again: it is shown that the importations of this wail of sorrow from four millions of loyal

long procession of perfectly good-natured And the best machinery is justice, of course. if exposed in one quarter of the city he might their ancient ferocity. Still to whip, to starve distinguished physician testifies in regard to the service of manacipation of hissing the most enormous absurding as subtrainty criticism inside the desired effect of suppressing him advocable and the service of the contemptuously out, with a full crossful difference. No manager thinks of such that, as in the administration of hissing the most enormous absurding and the service of room. What with slaughter-houses, and bone- leave them at the mercy of every hard may not, by the aid of illuminated posters and set down in maxims. The people are right, no boileries, and noisome kennels, and tenements hand and harder heart. They may have no s little audacious fibbing, be nursed through a doubt; but government (says Mr. Lowe) does damp, crowded and ill-ventilated, the children other motive than that which drives the starved whole remunerative season. Thus it is that not deal in justice. What is required is a mill, of the poor have rather a dismal out-look for tiger upon his prey. They have a lively faith plays foreign in atmosphere, in dialogue, in and something to keep it going, whether the next midsummer; and the milkman who may in wickedness. They conceive that precious felicity in looking at the past, even when it is character and in incident, having no perceptible people are ground or not. Be Mr. Lowe's ar- take away their last chance of living through virtue is latent in monstrons crimes. They be- gray and cloudy with the smoke of a terrible relation to our own social phases, and no moral gument ever so specious, the inference cannot that season, showing no mercy to these inno- lieve that some deity will take them in keeping war. We occasionally go over the back files cents, is entitled to the very least mercy con- if only they dabble their hands often enough in of our TRIBUNE and fight for Fremont, and

against light, employs the devices of civilization believing that justice can be crushed by the more philosophic now than when we followed nostril-shot of shambles, upon watered or worse If such a man was not ostracized accordingly laws of life, and there never was an age that so a monopoly of the production and sale of spir-

SAVAGE AND CIVILIZED.

We had not long since a very pretty tale from magistrate-his English name, of all names in the world, is John Wesley-tried an ancient course, and with his own judicial hands incon- the consumption. tinently decapitated the unfortunate old lady. The Hon. Hone Wetere is, it seems, a conservative. The radical missionaries have, no doubt. told him that witcheraft is all stuff and nonsense; but Hone knows better than that. It is a part of his religion to believe in it; it is a them gather weight with consideration. part of his politics to believe in it; it is a part of his social science to believe in it; and, doubthimself firmly against innovation. He believes,

We hold Mr. Justice Wetere in great con-

bring out no more bowls before breakfast for pression that the poor infant was bewitched. firms engaged in this debasing traffic! human blood. 'Tis an old delusion, confined Kansas, and Anti-Lecompton, with something

THE TAX ON WHISEY.

Spiritnous and fermented liquors are emimuster a little courage-if they would but fall knows the rudimentary laws of mechanics, could beer. Good, easy people say that there is no nently fit subjects for taxation. As luxuries, Frenchman who were the Bourbon lilies under back upon their old-fashioned prerogative-if teach Mr. Lowe better than that. It is hard to help for it-we are born to be sick, we are fated they ought to yield a public revenue, and as the magnificent smiles of Marie Antoinette, and they would do as their grandfathers did at run a theory of government against the steam- to die, every man must eat his peck of dirt, we baleful agents of intemperance and crime, they was so gracious, so kind, so patronizing to all The Freedmen's Celebration at Bichmond must bolt our food and ask no questions, should be taxed both in manufacture and sale, the world, has melted away. He was very old With such premises, Mr. Lowe's idea of Amer- Descartes believed that brutes are mere ma- so as to restrict their use and offset the ruin when Victor Hugo painted him. And so with chines, but we, God-made men, claiming some- they work. Every civilized government raises our precious Son of Chivalry. He has gone dissatisfied, we should soon have a crop of capital plays pleasantly indigenous, and a plenty of Tom Taylors of our own. A drama which professed to come home to our business and our test and any large test and the feedback of the feedback of the feedback of the feedback of the divine in our constitutions, are consequences. Great thing of the divine in our constitutions, are consequences: Great thing of the divine in our constitutions, are consequences: Great from history. The place that knew him shall be then with a merely mechanical life, eating and drinking what fortune may bring to us, and 1865, no less than £23,146,961—more than tentwith a merely mechanical life, eating and drinking what fortune may bring to us, and 1865, no less than £23,146,961—more than tentwith a merely mechanical life, eating and drinking what fortune may bring to us, and 1865, no less than £23,146,961—more than tentwith a merely mechanical life, eating and drinking what fortune may bring to us, and 1865, no less than £23,146,961—more than ever hear of a man who was estracized from public life in America in consequence of his having collected in various shapes, in the tent with a merely mechanical life, eating and drinking what fortune may bring to us, and 1865, no less than £23,146,961—more than the own of the divine in our constitutions, are consequences: Great the democratic institutions there, who tever with a merely mechanical life, eating and Britain having collected in various shapes, in the tent with a merely mechanical life, eating and Britain having collected in various shapes, in the tent with a merely mechanical life, eating and Britain having collected in various shapes, in the democratic institutions there, who there we with a merely mechanical life, eating and Britain having collected in various shapes, in the democratic institutions there with a merely mechanical life, eating and Britain having collected in various shapes, in the democratic institutions are consequences. thing of the divine in our constitutions, are con- a large revenue from these sources: Great from history. The place that knew him shall with which we are familiar, and to portray the (which we cannot admit in Mr. Lowe's sense), systematically ignored them. The milkman its, from which she derived, in 1864, \$95,850,000, There was more blood in the chivalrous veins with success. The leaders of an oligarchy had feed in actual social life about us, would be sponta- it was owing to almost the same oligarchy by cheats us, the butcher cheats us, the grocer or nearly 37 per cent. of her total revenue. than we imagined. Dead-by no means!

matic concert-rooms which regularly advertise navigation and fountains, and acheap and handy their performances in our columns. Those who servant in cotton-spinning, to say nothing of it hard if he could not be indulged in the murder like. To accommodate this industrial interest, not like it. We wish no Capulets at our massing to say nothing of it hard if he could not be indulged in the murder like. To accommodate this industrial interest, and the But we do not—well, not to be angry—we do not—well, not to be angry—we do not accommodate this industrial interest, not like it. We wish no Capulets at our massing the could not be indulged in the murder like. To accommodate this industrial interest, not like it. talk of the decay of the drama, and perpetually its services in extinguishing fires, and washing; of one single old woman. No matter what he prognosticate its ultimate disappearance, may but, as they like to have their money's worth, think that we overestimate its importance; but they do object to receiving even the purest with and we do not see why the English drinking purposes, to be sold untaxed. The we, who are obliged to give a closer attention to water when they pay for milk. So they have an Tories should not send him out a silver broad- high price of alcohol has already had the effect men, you forget. Lee surrendered, Joe Johnston with a call the subject, know that much might be lost by excellent law. If they catch a diluting delinary ax, suitably inscribed, as a token of their distinary of crippling several branches of manufacture was beaten, Early was smashed, Semmes was and sending abroad for the products.

scademy of a department of letters which every go on his adulterous way rejoicing. The In- lately sent to Senator Sumner a severed black demand for distilled spirits for the manufacture ours. Come minstrels and merrymen, let the

eye of civilization has smitten it—the glory of opium, Indian hemp, and other narcotic and men in the South? Why this supreme gladthe foreign element, which must have musical pleasures, but there is a constant influx of sight-seers from all parts of the country. An enterprising man has only to put out a red langestern in Broadway, and announce that something is to be seen within, and he is sure of a thing is to be seen within, and he is sure of a specifical experience of the working of course, here a wicked milkman would need a great deal more showing up than in Boston— the foreign element, which must have musical the foreign element, which must have must have for the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope to rekindle it by offering up sacrifices to the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope to rekindle it by offering up sacrifices to the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope in toxicating drugs, were largely increased; and the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope to rekindle it by offering up sacrifices to the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope to rekindle it by offering up sacrifices to the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope to rekindle it by offering up sacrifices to the violent has departed; and they stupidly hope it to rekindle it by offering up sac

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WE LEARN BY TEACHING.

fat, fox-hunting Jacobite has merged into a Conservative squire, who hates

John Bright, and drinks to the Queen without the pound, yard, cubic foot and gallon. passing his wine over the water. The stately -Patience! We are probably too fast.

neously applauded if it were true and which Mr. Lowe is buttressed in Parliament. cheats us, the brewer France, in 1863, raised from liquors 1,211,123,481 Gone forever? Oh no, wild iconoclast! You those to whom this new order of things came most dexterous, and just as spontaneously We are even told by Mr. Bright that though cheats us, the clothier frances, or over a twelfth of her public income. have pulled down the temple of Slavery, but acceptably to-day commemorate that occasion cheats us, the builder cheats us, and we are apthe domain of taxable expedients has issued an him. Rather shabby, perhaps, and dinged, and of a high tax does not materially decrease the "the nigger had to support himself now; before, of a high tax does not materially decrease the average consumption for drinking purposes are alto support him. That is all the differwe had to support him. That is all the differto much praise cannot be bestowed upont him in the differto much praise cannot be bestowed u Illicit distillation, smuggling and fraudulent ence emancipation has made in South Carolina." New-Zealand. The Hon. Hone Wetere, native returns, counteract the restrictions of a high tax. Wise beyond your generation—keen, tobacco-present—and justice For a week, the pr It is found also, that, above a certain ascertain chewing priest! but not so loud next time, able rate of tax, every addition results in an if you please! Then as to the dreadful war. Maori female for witchcraft, found her guilty, of actual decrease of revenue, without lessening What did we fight against ? "State rights"parent bird of all the brood of National serpents? he consumption.

What, then, is the highest available point of Matter and the public of the sword, it was a sate of the sword of the sword, it was a sate of the sword, it was a sate of the sword of the sword, it was a sate of the sword of the sword, it was a sate of the sword taxation for revenue purposes? The Commis- certainly State rights, Mistaken again! It sion recommends a reduction of the tax on lives. Lee, a champion, was stricken down. spirits from \$2 per gallon to \$1. The grounds Davis, a champion, was thrown into a dungeon. for this proposition are numerous, and some of A hundred thousand other champions were sent A hundred thousand other champions were sent home under bail to keep the peace. But it lives, and Andrew Johnson is a champion more puissant than Lee or Davis, or their hundred than the procession was not as long as enthusiastic as was expected. By 10 o'clock the First of all, as a question of Revenue, it is found and Andrew Johnson is a champion more puimpracticable to collect the tax now imposed, issant than Lee or Davis, or their hundred of his social science to believe in it; and, doubtless, he does not deem this world worth living
in unless, when he discovers a witch, he is to
have the privilege of making her shorter by a
head without delay. He only follows the law
as established by his ancestors. He only plants also have the effect of stopping smuggling across head, but look to your own crown. No time for the pious man, that when witches can keep the border. The average consumption of the ax or headsman now! King Richard, draw and the border. The average consumption of the country is between forty and fifty millions of gallons per annum. It appears that the sum received for taxes on spirits in the first year, this new champion of State rights. That would be save your own head! Your kingdom's gone. You may keep Tennessee as a hostage against they were playing "The gast that through the straining their throats this new champion of State rights. That would be a mean revenue. You cannot default the South could be a mean revenue. Modern civilization, at least, has always had their heads upon their shoulders, the wreck of country is between forty and fifty millions of save your own head! Your kingdom's gone. You Modern civilization, at least, has always had their hearts upon the crash of worlds may be ex- gallons per annum. It appears that the sum re- You may keep Tennessee as a hostage against the were the mass. 1864-5, was only sixteen millions; and it is be a mean revenge. You cannot defend the The nation is entering upon a new career; its jokes, good and bad, about the cow with the tempt; but very respectable folk at this end of doubted if, with the present rates, more than rights of over twenty States by making an

blown out of wind and water, Jeff. Davis is in jail. | m

we have conquered the South-we have estabcompelled to ask questions. But what means years in bondage; but Pharoah's fate gives a consolation that makes us patient under a bur-There is at times an exquisite, although a sad, den even worse than making bricks without

> 2.439 AD VALOREM DUTIES Our tariffs, even when protective, have generally been framed for us by British influence. They have been smashed in the name of Free Trade by that same influence four times within fifty years. When most protective of American industry, they have been constructed full of holes through the ad valorem principle of valuation, so as to let the foreign importers shove in and make it a constant special study in their centuries gauged the importing conscience, and endeavor to cheat the revenue. The Congress country which, in revising the tariff, will pluck up by the roots forever the ad valorem principle, and require foreigners to pay specific duties by

FROM RICHMOND.

-Its Quiet and Orderly Aspect- Description of the Procession-A Grand Marshal Shot At-The President's Peace Proclamation-Burning of a Colored Church-Fair for the Sufferers-The

From Our Special Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Va., April 3, 1866. One year ago to-day the streets of Richmond were filled with soldiery flushed with victory, elated been established that this was the land of the free; and

Notwithstanding the various conflicting rumors as to

C. Hannis, J. Edmunds, N. Williams, cond, Va., April 2, 1868.